

Table V.A.2.f Percent of private-sector establishments that offer health insurance that required a waiting period before new employees were eligible for health insurance by industry groupings and State: United States, 2016**

Division and State	Total	Agri, fish., forestry and construction	Mining and manufacturing	Retail and other services	Professional services	All other
United States	74.9%	72.6%	79.2%	78.1%	68.8%	75.5%
New England:						
Connecticut	75.2%	--	77.6%	72.5%	85.0%	64.8%
Maine	75.6%	--	81.1%	83.5%	63.6%	70.6%
Massachusetts	72.0%	--	66.7%	80.4%	62.8%	67.9%
New Hampshire	80.6%	--	97.3%	86.4%	77.6%	73.8%
Rhode Island	63.3%	--	90.2%	67.8%	61.2%	47.7%
Vermont	65.0%	--	51.4%	63.2%	62.0%	82.6%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	71.9%	82.0%	86.8%	76.6%	57.3%	78.1%
New York	68.3%	--	99.0%	70.0%	64.1%	63.1%
Pennsylvania	70.5%	60.4%	81.6%	75.6%	61.1%	70.2%
East North Central:						
Illinois	72.8%	--	49.1% *	68.8%	77.5%	78.7%
Indiana	84.0%	--	96.2%	84.7%	73.2%	85.5%
Michigan	75.5%	--	73.5%	82.5%	67.0%	73.2%
Ohio	72.2%	82.1%	92.9%	68.4%	59.5%	77.6%
Wisconsin	76.6%	--	82.1%	78.1%	72.3%	87.1%
West North Central:						
Iowa	75.5%	--	85.0%	77.4%	79.6%	74.3%
Kansas	67.6%	51.6%	87.8%	80.3%	59.4%	63.7%
Minnesota	75.9%	--	98.2%	81.1%	81.6%	67.6%
Missouri	77.8%	--	70.5%	83.2%	76.6%	68.2%
Nebraska	69.8%	63.9%	68.8%	75.0%	74.2%	64.3%
North Dakota	53.5%	35.2% *	47.4% *	54.5%	59.2%	59.2%
South Dakota	73.6%	48.5%	74.7%	70.4%	89.3%	82.5%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	78.7%	--	--	75.5%	68.7%	83.1%
District of Columbia	59.8%	--	--	64.1%	47.7%	67.7%
Florida	81.6%	--	--	81.6%	84.9%	92.6%
Georgia	84.5%	--	93.1%	93.9%	79.4%	78.0%
Maryland	67.4%	--	--	65.6%	55.8%	87.3%
North Carolina	79.6%	100.0%	84.3%	81.3%	69.6%	79.5%
South Carolina	78.9%	83.2%	83.4%	87.8%	57.7%	81.0%
Virginia	75.3%	--	88.9%	84.7%	69.8%	56.6%
West Virginia	78.2%	--	74.8%	84.6%	79.2%	69.7%
East South Central:						
Alabama	69.0%	46.9% *	87.8%	67.1%	68.7%	75.3%
Kentucky	80.3%	--	98.2%	88.7%	67.6%	79.2%
Mississippi	72.5%	--	90.0%	67.3%	64.5%	82.8%
Tennessee	83.1%	--	96.1%	82.4%	90.3%	80.3%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	73.9%	71.7%	91.6%	83.5%	56.9%	73.0%
Louisiana	72.7%	--	64.9% *	82.6%	56.3%	77.2%
Oklahoma	69.0%	--	64.0%	68.5%	67.2%	71.2%
Texas	76.8%	89.5%	79.4%	73.5%	72.2%	83.0%
Mountain:						
Arizona	79.7%	--	79.9%	83.5%	79.7%	72.5%
Colorado	76.6%	52.3%	75.9%	86.3%	76.3%	77.5%
Idaho	80.9%	--	98.6%	75.4%	74.7%	86.9%
Montana	72.2%	--	--	73.4%	75.4%	82.9%
Nevada	71.3%	--	--	77.2%	66.1%	67.7%
New Mexico	84.8%	--	72.9%	87.0%	80.3%	81.4%
Utah	65.2%	--	76.1%	76.4%	45.6%	73.6%
Wyoming	80.2%	74.6%	85.7%	85.7%	71.0%	81.7%
Pacific:						
Alaska	81.3%	--	--	91.9%	70.0%	83.6%
California	75.6%	75.5%	78.7%	84.7%	66.3%	72.0%
Hawaii	61.1%	53.4%	--	69.8%	52.1%	60.8%
Oregon	76.7%	75.2%	91.7%	77.9%	72.5%	78.9%
Washington	77.9%	64.1% *	--	80.1%	71.3%	85.6%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2016 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table V.A.2.f Standard errors for percent of private-sector establishments that offer health insurance that required a waiting period before new employees were eligible for health insurance by industry groupings and State: United States, 2016**

Division and State	Total	Agri, fish., forestry and construction	Mining and manufacturing	Retail and other services	Professional services	All other
United States	0.64%	2.90%	2.74%	1.05%	1.30%	1.24%
New England:						
Connecticut	3.91%	--	11.71%	6.67%	5.45%	8.85%
Maine	3.74%	--	10.25%	5.07%	7.24%	9.03%
Massachusetts	4.10%	--	12.06%	6.62%	7.14%	9.65%
New Hampshire	3.25%	--	2.14%	4.38%	6.09%	7.29%
Rhode Island	4.73%	--	7.50%	8.11%	8.66%	10.06%
Vermont	4.02%	--	13.91%	6.69%	7.72%	6.06%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	3.63%	11.51%	6.96%	6.05%	7.04%	5.45%
New York	3.18%	--	0.74%	5.17%	5.47%	7.36%
Pennsylvania	3.03%	15.47%	8.62%	4.86%	6.04%	5.92%
East North Central:						
Illinois	4.68%	--	18.17% *	8.55%	9.04%	6.37%
Indiana	3.25%	--	2.39%	5.74%	7.55%	5.09%
Michigan	3.57%	--	12.44%	5.03%	7.89%	6.89%
Ohio	3.16%	10.17%	3.46%	5.97%	7.28%	6.12%
Wisconsin	3.98%	--	8.48%	7.10%	7.85%	5.74%
West North Central:						
Iowa	3.85%	--	7.33%	6.22%	6.08%	6.38%
Kansas	4.07%	13.74%	5.78%	6.66%	9.04%	7.21%
Minnesota	4.10%	--	1.34%	5.67%	5.01%	8.69%
Missouri	4.11%	--	12.00%	6.08%	8.12%	9.43%
Nebraska	4.34%	18.46%	10.26%	6.88%	9.19%	7.56%
North Dakota	4.11%	13.76% *	14.51% *	7.12%	8.63%	8.07%
South Dakota	4.13%	13.78%	11.30%	6.79%	7.45%	5.42%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	3.93%	--	--	6.56%	8.64%	7.57%
District of Columbia	4.02%	--	--	6.23%	6.50%	10.95%
Florida	3.87%	--	--	5.83%	7.03%	2.97%
Georgia	2.88%	--	4.47%	2.37%	6.42%	5.98%
Maryland	4.33%	--	--	7.15%	7.74%	5.04%
North Carolina	3.25%	0.00%	9.50%	5.15%	8.26%	5.72%
South Carolina	3.53%	14.67%	7.27%	4.25%	8.86%	6.09%
Virginia	3.68%	--	9.11%	5.53%	6.64%	9.46%
West Virginia	3.39%	--	9.42%	5.07%	5.40%	8.98%
East South Central:						
Alabama	3.78%	15.80% *	6.86%	6.21%	8.75%	7.05%
Kentucky	3.39%	--	1.39%	4.04%	7.96%	6.66%
Mississippi	4.04%	--	4.69%	7.34%	8.27%	5.70%
Tennessee	2.87%	--	2.07%	4.38%	4.32%	6.03%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	3.88%	18.23%	3.75%	5.60%	8.00%	7.68%
Louisiana	4.34%	--	19.56% *	5.56%	9.84%	6.73%
Oklahoma	3.86%	--	12.59%	6.79%	8.39%	6.89%
Texas	2.50%	7.09%	7.22%	4.47%	5.33%	4.14%
Mountain:						
Arizona	3.68%	--	10.45%	5.19%	6.41%	7.69%
Colorado	4.18%	15.45%	14.00%	5.04%	7.14%	8.62%
Idaho	3.86%	--	1.41%	6.78%	8.80%	6.52%
Montana	4.88%	--	--	6.83%	10.22%	6.57%
Nevada	4.29%	--	--	6.31%	9.38%	9.57%
New Mexico	2.65%	--	11.61%	3.85%	5.72%	6.81%
Utah	4.64%	--	11.27%	7.27%	9.12%	8.94%
Wyoming	3.90%	16.50%	5.17%	6.72%	8.81%	6.14%
Pacific:						
Alaska	3.69%	--	--	3.96%	8.04%	7.70%
California	2.24%	8.55%	11.07%	3.24%	4.63%	4.67%
Hawaii	3.50%	12.67%	--	5.17%	7.28%	8.13%
Oregon	4.00%	14.85%	5.63%	7.41%	7.58%	8.48%
Washington	3.92%	19.36% *	--	6.10%	7.88%	5.62%

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